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TO George Smajda
FROM Tom Downey DATE 2/5/81
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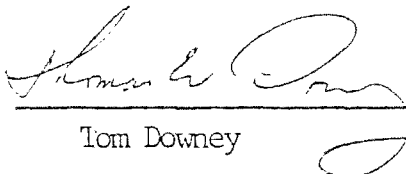


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I arrived at SCP Newark at 0930. I made a tour of the yard and inspected the drums. Drums remain in very poor condition. Many are frozen and bulged out. These drums will have to be repacked as soon as the first major thaw occurs. A 4,000 gallon tank trailer was also in the yard. It had been moved from storage area next to eastern border of plant out into open yard. According to Louie Socrates, this trailer contains methanol and water. He was not sure of what was to be done with this tanker. Inspectors should check this tank daily as it would be very easy to drain the material to the ground.

Later that day, Bob Dante and myself inspected SCP Carlstadt. We found no activity there. We did find a large spill on the gravel underneath a tank trailer (D-15 VTI-56). Spilled material appeared to be diesel fuel. Tanker had a hose coming from it with a nozzle. Spill was about 20' by 15'. I took photos of spill. We could not find anyone on site to account for spill.

On 2/6/81, Steve Carfora followed-up on spill.


Tom Downey

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